

## MUNICIPAL CHARTERS

with amendments Section 62 "Voters," of the Code of Public Local Laws of Carroll County, 1965 edition as amended, said amendment to reduce the minimum age to eighteen years and reduce the residency requirements to thirty days in order to be qualified voters of the town.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Mayor and Council of The Town of Hampstead, Maryland, that Section 62 "Voters," of the Code of Public Local Laws of Carroll County, 1965 edition as amended, be amended by repealing and re-enacting it to read as indicated below. All words to be added are underscored. All words to be deleted are enclosed within single brackets.

## 62. Voters.

Every person who (1) is a citizen of the United States, (2) is at least [twenty-one] EIGHTEEN years of age, [has resided in the State of Maryland for at least one year next preceding any town election] (3) has resided within the corporate limits of the town for [six months] THIRTY DAYS next preceding any town election and (4) is registered in accordance with the provisions of this charter, shall be a qualified voter of the town. Every qualified voter of the town shall be entitled to vote at any and all town elections.

Section 2. And be it further resolved that the amendments proposed in this resolution shall become and be considered a part of the Charter of The Town of Hampstead according to the terms of the amendments, in all respects to be effective and observed as such on the fiftieth (50th) day after passage unless on or before the fortieth (40th) day after passage, there shall be presented to the Mayor and Council a proper petition for referendum as permitted by law.

Section 3. And be it further resolved that the Clerk-Treasurer of The Town of Hampstead be, and he is hereby specifically directed to post a complete and exact copy of this resolution at the town office for a period of forty days following its adoption by the Mayor and Council and to cause a fair summary of the proposed amendments to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the town not less than four times, at weekly intervals, within a period of at least forty days after the adoption of this resolution.

Section 4. And be it further resolved that as soon